#### Keep a personal copy of your immunization record.

It is important to keep a record of all your immunizations. These records may be needed for child care, school, camp, college, the military, travel, or for employment. If you don't have a record of your immunizations, ask your healthcare provider.

#### We have vaccines that prevent these diseases!

- Varicella (chickenpox)
- Measles, mumps, rubella (MMR)
- Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis (DTaP, Td, Tdap)
- Hepatitis (Hep A and B)
- Haemophilus type B (Hib)
- Human papilloma virus (HPV)
- Meningitis (meningococcal)
- Pneumonia (pneumococcal, Prevnar)
- Polio (IPV)
- Seasonal influenza

## Questions? Call Toll Free: 1-800-352-0026 Erie 814-451-6777

Where should you go once you have a scheduled appointment?

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#### Who needs vaccines?

**Infants** and young children are often at higher risk of serious problems if they get a vaccine-preventable disease. Make sure they get all their immunizations on time, every time.

Children in child care and school may be exposed to diseases. It is important for their immunizations to be up to date. It's not too late to catch up. If your child missed any immunizations recommended at younger ages, be sure to catch up now.

**Teens** and young adults should catch up on all missed immunizations to protect themselves and others against disease.

Adults need vaccines too! Adults never outgrow the need for immunizations. The specific vaccines needed are determined by age, lifestyle, risk conditions, locations of travel, and previous vaccines.

### Protect your family and your community.

Make sure you get all of your recommended immunizations. Immunizations keep you healthy and can help stop the spread of disease to your family and your community.

People who aren't immunized put themselves and others at risk of getting diseases that vaccines prevent.

Some diseases, like measles and pertussis, spread very easily. It only takes a small number of unprotected people to cause a disease outbreak.

For a copy of an immunization schedule for an infant, child, or adult please visit: www.cdc.gov/vaccines.

#### Where to go for more information.

When searching for immunization information on the web, use a reliable source to find the most accurate information.

your health care provider
your local health department
www.cdc.gov/vaccines
www.vaccinesforlife.com
www.vaccinateyourbaby.org
www.immunize.org
www.vaccineinformation.org

Who qualifies for vaccines at the Erie County Department of Health?

If you do not have health insurance or are underinsured, you may be eligible for free vaccines. To find out, please call 814-451-6777.